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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

August 6, 1999

Sir:

The following Preliminary Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Before line 1, insert --This application is the national phase under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of PCT International Application No. PCT/JP97/00299 which has an International filing date of February 7, 1997, which designated the United States of America.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

CLAIM 6: Lines 1 and 2, change "any one of claims 1 to 5" to
--claim 1--

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